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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 4, 2002, please amend the above-referenced application as follows. A request for a 3-month extension of time is also being filed herewith.

CLEAN VERSION OF AMENDMENTS

(A version of these amendments with markings to show changes is attached as a separate appendix)

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 6, first paragraph, lines 1-6:

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points 26, already present in the spunbonded fabric, were in register with each other. In the areas (O) where the lamination points of the calender roll did not coincide with the emboss points 26 of the fabric (out of register), the materials were well laminated. It is to be noted that only for the purposes of illustration, the size of the emboss points 26 has been reduced in Figure 5A for the purposes of differentiation from the lamination points: this makes no material effect upon the results.

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